

**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1.  Fee Transmittal Form  
*(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)*

2.  Specification [Total pages 52]

29 - pages description

1 - pages abstract

22 - pages claims 66 - Total claims

3.  Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total sheets 9]

Informal  Formal [Total drawings 10]

4.  Oath or Declaration [Total pages 2]

a.  Newly executed (original or copy)  
b.  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
*(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)*  
*[Note Box 5 below]*

i.  **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting  
inventor(s) named in the prior application,  
see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5.  Incorporation by Reference  
*(usable if Box 4b is checked)*

The entire disclosure of the prior application,  
from which a copy of the oath or declaration is  
supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being  
part of the disclosure of the accompanying  
application and is hereby incorporated by  
reference therein.

**ADDRESS**  
**TO:** Box Patent Application  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

6.  Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)  
7.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)  
a.  Computer Readable Copy  
b.  Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  
c.  Statement verifying identity of above copies

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

8.  Assignment Papers/cover sheet & documents(s)  
9.  37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement  
*(when there is an assignee)*  
 Power of Attorney  
10.  English Translation of Document *(if applicable)*  
11.  Information Disclosure Statement PTO-1449  
 Copies of IDS Citations  
12.  Preliminary Amendment  
13.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
*(Should be specifically itemized)*  
14.  Small Entity Statement(s)  
 Statement filed in prior application, Status still proper and desired  
15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
*(if foreign priority is claimed)*

16. Other:

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.:

Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This application is a  continuation  divisional of application serial no. , filed , entitled , and now .

Inventor or Identifier: Steven M. Blumenau et al.

Serial No: Not yet assigned

Filed: Herewith

CHECK BOX, if applicable:

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREVENTING  
UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS BY A NETWORK DEVICE DUPLICATE

## Fee Calculation Sheet

| CLAIMS | FOR  | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA                        | RATE        | FEE         |
|--------|--|--------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|        | TOTAL CLAIMS<br>(37 CFR 1.16(c))   | 66-20=       | 46 x                                | \$18        | = \$ 828.00 |
|        | INDEPENDENT<br>CLAIMS (37 CFR<br>1.16(b))                                  | 6-3=         | 3 x                                 | \$80        | = \$ 240.00 |
|        | MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d)) +               |              | \$260                               | = \$        |             |
|        |  |              | BASIC FEE<br>(37 CFR<br>1.16(a))    | \$ 710.00   |             |
|        |  |              | Total of above Calculations =       | \$ 1,778.00 |             |
|        | Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). |              |                                     | \$          |             |
|        |  |              | Assignment Recordation Fee (if any) | \$ 40.00    |             |
|        |  |              | Other Fees (if any).                | \$          |             |
|        |  |              | TOTAL =                             | \$ 1,818.00 |             |

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